10/6/70

Dear Jim,

I have just found something I should have sent you and Paul some time ago. Because I hand't filed it, I presume I may not have.

I am pretty sure that I had done some N.O. checking on the numbers in an FBI report on LHO and Vern Rottman, of WDSU. This is the information I got on the two numbers:

523-5033 - no listing 1962,3,4

529-2270-Nothing in 1964, but in 1962, listed to The Ross Agency, Inc. Hal Ross Hockey, Pres.; C.A.Rogers & Paul H. Dalien, v. p.; Paul F. Steen, sec-trwas; Advertising and Public Relations, Indistrial Communications, 317nInternational Trade Mart, 124 Camp St.

I take it this is the father of Ross Yockey, then with the States-Item, when last I heard with WVUE-TV.

I believe this office was very close to that of Gaudet and Latin American Review. I do not attribute special significance to that, I merely note it.

I was not able to carry this further, my responses from N.O. having stopped entirely.

However, I think it rather strange that Rottman gave him or LHO had these numbers for Rottman, neither for his home, and whether or not in addition to the WDSU phone.Or, was the first for Rottman, the second for Stuckey?

In the 1967 (Dec) phone book, Ross is listed with same number, but in Gravier Bldg. (Which, I believe, is also the address of Nestor Marquez-Diaz.) They are separate listings for Hal Ross Yockey and Ross P. Yockey.

My last address for Stuckey was somewhere in Illinois and is about two years old, maybe three.

When I first met him, Ross Yockey was very friendly. His reporting stayed that way while he was with the paper. It seemed to me to change when he went to the TV station. By 10/68, I was certain it had changed. However, he by then had good reason for it.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg